

Washington and Lee Plays Richmond College This Afternoon

GRANT PITCHES TEAM TO SHUT-OUT VICTORY OVER PROUD TIGERS

Virginia Stops Onward March of Princeton When Star Twirler of Orange and Blue Holds Visitors to Just Three Hits.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., March 21.—Princeton struck the first snag on her Southern trip to-day, Virginia winning, 3 to 0, before the biggest crowd of the season, which included many visiting girls who are here for the Easter holidays. The game was played on a soggy field, the wet ball accounting for the large number of passes issued. Otherwise, both twirlers were in fine trim, being very stingy with their hits. Ulysses Grant proved a rare general, and was given excellent support at critical moments. He allowed only three hits. Two of these came in the fourth. Greene opened with an infield hit and Pendleton walked. Greene was forced at third. Rhodes followed with a Texas leaguer, filling the sacks. Grant then settled down and fanned Gill, while Carter was out on a high fly to Lee. Hanks made the only other hit off of Grant at the opening of the seventh.

Despite his wildness, Wood twirled an excellent game for the Tigers, and with proper support should have held the Southerners to one run. Virginia scored in the opening session. Neff drew a pass and raced around to third on Lee's slashing drive to right field. Both counted when Hanks allowed Landes' long fly to get away from him. Though the Southerners got men on the bases frequently, there was no more scoring until the seventh. Grant walked and tallied on Phillips' timely double between center and right. Pendleton raced after the ball and made a quick return, catching Phillips at third, on a relay.

The features of the contest were Phillips' shoestring catch of Pendleton's drive near the right-field foul line; White's stab of Carter's hot liner in the ninth; and the excellent fielding of Pendleton, the Princeton star, who played in deep center and robbed more than one Virginia batsman of an extra base hit. Worthington accepted everything that came his way at third base. Green, Virginia's backstop, kept the Tiger runners eluded to the bags, and Lee covered wide territory in center. After making the last out of the game on an easy throw from Grant to first, Finlay, as he started to leave the bag, was run into and knocked

Y. M. C. A. Athletics.

The Juniors trimmed the Intermediates in an interesting game of basketball in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night. The Intermediates defeated the Juniors in two previous games during the season, but the Juniors came back strong last night. Results: Y. M. C. A. Juniors—Wallerstein, forward, field goals 4; Wood, forward, field goals 2; Owens, center, field goals 3; Turner, guard, 2; Straus, guard. Y. M. C. A. Intermediates—Harris, forward, 3; free throw 2; points awarded 1; Hinkle, forward, 3; field goals 2; Ryndor, center, field goals 1; Dudley, guard, 1; Straus, guard. Y. M. C. A. Juniors, 26; Y. M. C. A. Intermediates, 14. Referee, Conway, Timer, Northington. Umpire, Phillips. Scorer, J. Harris.

LITTLE EIGHTH STREET TARHEELS LOSE POORLY PLAYED GAME

The Little Eighth Street Tarheels lost their first game to the Little Ninth Street Braves by the ragged score of 13 to 5. Hoover opened the game for the Little Eighth Street Tarheels, and was opposed by A. Aaron, of the Little Ninth Street Braves. Hoover was driven from the box in the first inning, after being hit for thirteen hits and singles. He was relieved by J. Rosenberg, who allowed nine hits through, but the game was steady, and allowed six hits. The Little Eighth Street Tarheels suffered the loss of Manager B. Conby and Captain E. Lemay, who were the hitting stars of last season.

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BRISTOL FANS MEET DEMANDS

Bristol, Va., March 21.—Bristol is now ready to meet every requirement of membership in the Appalachian League, and will at the meeting of the league directors to-morrow night put up the guarantee required by the national commission. At an enthusiastic meeting in the City Hall to-night the money necessary to finance the Bristol team was subscribed. Plans are on foot for substantial improvements at the park. Munson will bring his men here April 1 for the tryout season. He is pledged to organize a winning team.

McGUIRE'S SCHOOL WILL PLAY WILLIAM AND MARY TO-DAY

McGuire's University School baseball team will leave to-day for Williamsburg, where this afternoon the William and Mary club will be played. The local prep school hopes to achieve victory in order to alone for the defeat at the hands of the Union Theological Seminary. The following men will make the trip: Craven, catcher; Hammond, pitcher; Paschall, shortstop; H. Leach, first base; Stuckey, second base; M. Coghill, third base; Graves (captain), left field; T. Coghill, center field; A. Leach, right field.

BETTIE SUE WINS FIRST TIME OUT

Fools Talent, Who Didn't Figure Her in Good Enough Shape to Cash.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, S. C., March 21.—Bettie Sue celebrated her first appearance at Palmetto Park to-day by winning third race. The talent did not think she was in shape to win, and bet their money on Theresa Gill and Grosvenor. Bettie Sue beat Theresa Gill by a head at the wire, and Grosvenor was a close third. The books offered 15 to 1 against Bettie Sue.

First race—four-year-olds and up, selling, five furlongs—Theodore Cook (7 to 5), won; Miss Jonah (2 to 1), second; Coropsis (4 to 5), third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Lady, 58th, Chilton square, Commoners Touch, Star Rose, Madman also ran.

Second race—four-year-olds selling, five and one-half furlongs—Marr (4 to 5), won; Clem Beachy (2 to 1), second; The Squire (out), third. Time, 1:09. Berkeley, Tolson D'Or, Jessup Burns, Mad River also ran.

Third race—three-year-olds and up, selling, five and one-half furlongs—Bettie Sue (5 to 1), won; Theresa Gill (1 to 2), second; Grosvenor (1 to 5), third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Progressive, Moissant, Americus also ran.

Fourth race—handicap, three-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth—White Wool (7 to 1), won; Merry Lad (7 to 10), second; Flora Flin (out), third. Time, 1:48 2-5. Patch, Milton B. also ran.

Fifth race—four-year-olds and up, selling, seven furlongs—Blue Monie (4 to 1), won; Swarts Hill (5 to 1), second; Benedicta (2 to 5), third. Time, 2:00. Michael Angelo, Grace Mc, Pendant, Heretic, Cuban, New River, Harcourt, Russo also ran.

Sixth race—three-year-olds and up, selling, mile and sixteenth—Armor (2 to 5), won; Lawton Wiggins (3 to 5), second; Lenore (2 to 10), third. Time, 1:48. Ragman, Husky Lad also ran.

WOODALL & QUARLES PLAYS AMERICAN CLOTHING COMPANY

Woodall & Quarles will cross bats with the American Clothing Company's club at Byrd Park this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the first exhibition game of the amateurs this season. Both clubs have had several days of training, and are prepared to put up a good exhibition.

TECHS TAKE GAME IN NINTH INNING

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Blacksburg, Va., March 21.—With a crippled up team and several of the best players out, V. P. I. defeated Randolph-Macon College here this afternoon in the opening game of the season by a score of 12 to 11. The visitors had a lead of four runs when the Techs took a brace and tied the score in the ninth inning. Moore pitched a star game, but both teams played ragged ball, due partly to the high wind and a muddy field.

Batteries: V. P. I., Moore and King; Randolph-Macon College, Ferguson and Hazlett. Hits—off Moore, 9; off Ferguson, 11. Struck out—by Moore, 5; by Ferguson, 4. Unpires, Lockhart and Hodgson.

JAMESTOWN STARTS EASTERN SEASON IN RACING CIRCLES

One Week From Tuesday Cry of "They're Off!" Will Be Sounded at Norfolk—More Than 500 Thoroughbreds Entered.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Norfolk, Va., March 21.—A week from Tuesday and the familiar cry "they're off" will proclaim the inauguration at Norfolk of the first of the Eastern race meetings of the season of 1913. Since 1909 Norfolk has had the distinction of starting the game going on the big tracks in April and of closing the year out in November.

The Jamestown Jockey Club has taken the old place of the Washington Jockey Club, which, for twenty years began and finished the big show at Benning track, in the District of Columbia. And with its central situation geographically and climate, unsurpassed for mildness, Norfolk is the ideal city to perform that office.

The meeting to begin on the first of April will, as is the custom down here, be inaugurated with a Lacey Day, and it will run through the seventeenth, when the horses will betake themselves to Havre de Grace for the first spring meeting of the Harford Agricultural and Fair Association, which opened its gates for the first time last August. The opening here will find the big stables of the country in line.

With the stake for the four specials, which closed last Saturday, the roster of horses is complete. The entry lists of the Norfolk Selling Race, the Juvenile stakes, the Jamestown Selling Handicap and the Monticello Hotel Handicap read like the stake lists of one of the great New York courses of a few seasons back.

August Belmont, chairman of the Jockey Club, is a liberal nominator in the Juvenile, having a big string of precocious youngsters in training at Benning and Richard T. Wilson, president of the Saratoga Association, is another.

Still others are Thomas Clyde, the head of the Maryland Jockey Club, which races at Pimlico spring and fall; Captain William Frederick Pregravia, Mr. Snydes guide, counselor and friend; Captain Philip Walker, U. S. A.; Thomas Fortune Ryan, the traction magnate of New York, who maintains a superb breeding establishment in his native county of Nelson; William Garth, the veteran of Albemarle; David Dunlop, of Petersburg; Francis J. Pons, the genius of Charlottesville; Hunter G. Breckinridge, owner of Catawba Farm in Botetourt County; Mrs. Lillian Allen Livingston, proprietress of Rancocas, the oldest and most famous thoroughbred nursery in New Jersey; Harry Payne Whitney, proprietor of Brookside Farm, whose Eaton blue jacket and brown cap are familiar to patrons of the turf on two sides of the Atlantic; A. G. Weston, William Shields, the man who handled Herminie when that celebrated son of Hermion was April 6, 1904, and 1905, Theodore Cole, James Fitzsimmons, Dr. J. S. Tyree, Hugh Penny, John Burtchell, Max Hirsch, Richard Peilding, Lewis Garth, Ernest Utterbeck and Edward Phelan.

All told, the meeting will have the support of about 500 horses, all of them ready. The supply will be more than ample, and every event should fill well. As already related, the program books for the first seven days of the meeting is out, and in it provision is made for two steeplechases. Cross-country racing is popular hereabouts, and if the result of the first two races justifies improvement, more jumping events will be provided later.

The Norfolk selling race, a dash of three-quarters of a mile, for horses three years old and over, will be the feature of the opening day's sport, and the juvenile, a dash of four furlongs, for youngsters of both sexes, will be the feature of the second day's sport. The Jamestown Hotel Handicap will be run later. Three of these specials will pay \$1,000 to the winner, and the Monticello will pay \$1,500.

Three and four hundred dollars will be the average for purses, with occasional handicaps of \$500 and \$600. It is likely that the size of the average purse will be increased after the first week if the expectations of the management are realized. And Mr. Levy looks for the best attendance he has known in years.

Colonel Charles Consovo, president of the Monticello Hotel Company, which is called upon to ascertain most of the visitors that come here for the races, says that the town is in for more sport than it has ever known in a fortnight's time. He bases his forecast on the advance demand for rooms at the Monticello.

The stables here already belong to Richard T. Wilson, Mr. Breckinridge, Mr. Fitzsimmons, Mr. Penny, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Martin, Mr. McGraw, William Redmond, Mr. Clyde, Captain Pregravia, Mr. Weston and Mr. Shields. The Washington specials will be in next week. The Garth and Belmont stables are scheduled to arrive on the 25th. Three express cars will be required to bring them down.

Joseph McLennan, secretary of the course, wired from Charlottesville yesterday that he would be up on Monday, and that Martin Foley, who is at Juarez, will be here by the end of the week. The stables of George Odion, S. N. Hexter and Philip Hyams will come with the Foley. Mr. Hexter will operate as a free lance this spring, but he will have the best mounts of the pending establishment. He is in tip-top condition.

Gould and Huhn Lose. Philadelphia, Pa., March 21.—In the best contested four-handed court tennis match of the season here, Wilson Potter and F. C. Tompkins, instructor at the racquet club, defeated Jay Gould and W. H. Hahn at the racquet club this afternoon by three sets to two. The last two sets were in each game, and the handicap proved just a little bit beyond their powers on the clay's play.

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RALEY AND LUSKY JOIN COLT SQUAD

Both Fit as Fiddles and Anxious to Get Into Battle Togs.

John Raley and Charley Lusky joined the Colts yesterday. Raley arrived in the early afternoon, while Lusky waited until the shades had fallen before reporting to the manager. Both look for any kind of a battle, and if appearances count the manager has reason to believe that they will not be disappointed. Raley has been taken on any flesh since his operation of last fall, but he has a healthy glow, and is just pining to get to work. He watched the battle between the Spiders and Aggies yesterday afternoon, and all the while was envying the youngsters.

Lusky looks just like he did several years ago. He is still young and husky, and is going to give somebody an awful battle for a regular job at backstop. He admits that much, but there's a whole lot he doesn't talk about. Lusky is about as good as they make in the backstop line in the minors. He has had enough experience to make him valuable, and along with this experience has natural ability.

With the arrival of Lusky and Raley the squad now numbers seven, including two catchers, two outfielders and two infielders. By to-night there should be a complete team in town, and on Monday it is not improbable that a game will be played. Steve will have his hands out on the college campus this morning at 10 o'clock, and everybody will work until noon. After lunch they will all return and go through the lumbering-up process until the shades gather in. Unfortunately there will be no water at the clubhouse until Tuesday. The delay was unavoidable, but it means that the men will have to take advantage of the hospitality extended by the college for a couple of days longer.

RICHMOND ACADEMY TEAM LOSES TO GREENVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Emporia, Va., March 21.—A hotly-contested game of baseball was played on the local "diamond" this afternoon between the Greenville County High School nine and the Richmond Academy team, resulting in the score of 16 to 1 in favor of the Emporia Giants. Features of the game was the twirling of Briggs, batting of Cecil Sharp and the brilliant work of Vincent at shortstop. Batteries—Emporia, Briggs and Buitrell; Richmond Academy, Wicker and Mahone. To-morrow afternoon the visitors and the locals will cross bats again.

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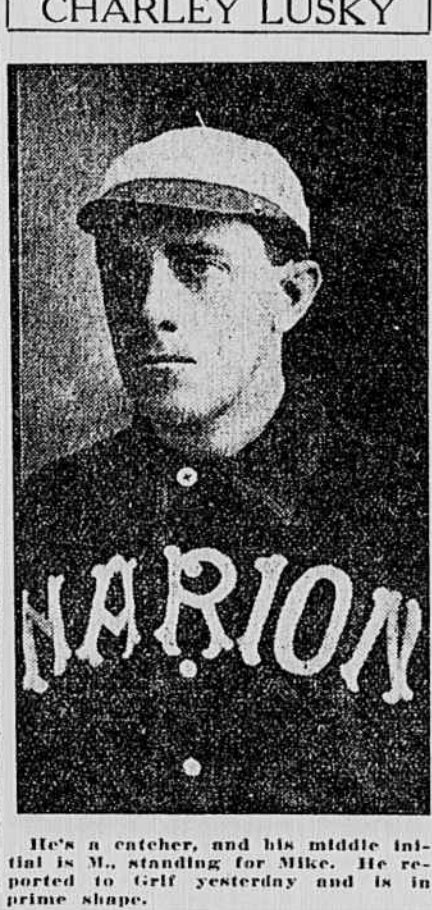
Blue Grass Without Pale, and 100 Players Are Now Free Agents.

Auburn, N. Y., March 21.—Chairman John H. Farrell, of the National Board of Arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, to-night gave out a special notice to all organized baseball for the first time in the history of minor league baseball expelling an entire league from the National Association. Mr. Farrell said:

"The officials of the Blue Grass League, having publicly and officially made known their determination to violate the national agreement, this league, after a fair notification to its league president and a wire notice to its club members, has had its membership expelled."

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CHARLEY LUSKY



He's a catcher, and his middle initial is M., standing for Mike. He reported to Giff yesterday and is in prime shape.

CAROLINA A. & M. READY FOR PENN

Two State Agricultural Schools Battle for Baseball Supremacy in Raleigh To-Day.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] West Raleigh, N. C., March 21.—To-morrow afternoon the first big baseball game of the season will be pulled off on Riddick Field between Agricultural and Mechanical and Pennsylvania State Colleges. Last year the Red and White were defeated at the hands of the Quakers, who had one of the strongest teams seen here that season, and they are determined to retrieve their loss and come off victorious this time.

Last Monday's game with Trinity Park, although not a very good exhibition of the strength of the Agricultural and Mechanical team, showed in a small way that the Techs have a strong team in the field this year. The fielders were not given many chances to show what they could do, as sixteen of the opponents were struck out and four more went by pop flies. However, there is no apprehension of inability in the fielding of the team, as the whole team has showed up very fast in practice. The pitching was the only questionable point, and Russell demonstrated excellent ability in that line in Monday's game, striking out sixteen men and allowing only four hits. Either he or Jaynes will probably pitch in to-morrow's game.

On Monday one of the most important games of the season will be played with Wake Forest College. This game is played between these two colleges annually on Easter Monday, always a holiday here, and the whole of the Wake Forest student body attends. This game is one of the greatest crowd drawers on the schedule.

On Monday morning there will also be a track meet between Wake Forest and Agricultural and Mechanical. The teams of these two colleges are very evenly matched, last year each having won in a dual meet, and the event this year will be very hotly contested. It is understood that the Baptists have a strong squad this year, and the Red and White will have a faster team on the field than last year.

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Makes No Comment

New York, March 21.—Officials of the New York Yacht Club decided to comment to-day on Sir Thomas Lipton's statement, issued at Belfast yesterday, explaining his request for a "reconsideration" of his challenge for the America's Cup recently turned down. Nothing will be given out by the club until after a meeting has been held, probably next Thursday.

SPIDERS HUMBLER ON HEAVY FIELD

Rainsoaked Diamond Prevents Fast Fielding, but Aggies Prove Better Mudders.

Out at the local park yesterday the Maryland Aggies proved the better mudders, and romped away with the big end of an 8 to 2 score in the game with the Spiders. The diamond was in poor shape, and the outfield was a small marsh, so a fast game could hardly have been expected, and although the errors were rather numerous, they were of the hard luck kind. Even if the ball got through the mud to the player, it could hardly be thrown at all, much less with any accuracy.

Futcher Dixon started the game with a strike, but with the count three and two, Knobe sent a mean grounder to the shortfield, which Beale captured, but made a poor throw, pulling Hulcher off the bag. The next two batters sacrificed him to second and third, respectively, but Morris could not produce the necessary hit.

In the last half of the first inning O'Neill, the first man up, was given a pass, when Loomis was unable to locate the plate. Beale, the next man up, connected for a clean single, putting O'Neill on third, but O'Neill, a little overanxious, was caught trying to go home on a passed ball. Luck fouled out to Gilman and Lewis ended the inning by taking three healthy swings at the pill.

In the next frame Ledman and Huntsman connected for a two-bagger and a single in succession, netting one tally. Williams, the next batter, sent a roller to Dixon, and when Lewis let the throw get away from him Huntsman scored and Williams stopped at second. Ruff and Loomis sacrificed Williams home, which ended the scoring of the baggies. The next two batters run on a missed third strike, followed by two errors and a long fly to centre field by Beale. This ended the Spiders' scoring until the ninth frame, when Willey clouted the horsehide for a two-bagger, went to third when Loomis uncorked a wild pitch, and crossed the plate when Flanagan, batting for Duvall, rolled an easy one towards short, being put out at first. The next two batters flied out, leaving the Spiders with only two runs as their share of the score.

Dixon, who started the game, pitched well for four innings, but in the fifth frame, with one man out, he allowed two singles in succession, which caused Coach Griffin to send Duvall to the box. This youngster promptly struck out the next two men, ending the inning with the two Aggies on first and second, respectively.

In one such the Aggies showed three more men across the home, as a result of which the Aggies won the game, 8 to 2.

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Yes, She Was Waiting! :: :: :: By James Swinnerton

